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William Conley was elected president of the congregation and Miss Alberta Creswell, secretary.

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126TH ANNUAL
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Last Exercises In Xenia
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THREE GRADUATES

Alumni Banquet Takes
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The one hundred and twenty-sixth commencement of Xenia Theological Seminary, and the last graduation exercises to be held by the old school as a Xenia institution, will take place at the First United Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

Prof. James M. Gray, D. D. dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, will deliver the class address at the graduation exercises. Dr. Gray arrived in Xenia Wednesday morning, and is registered at the Regal Hotel.

Presentation of diplomas and conferring of degrees will be in charge of Dr. Jesse Johnson, vice president of the seminary, who will preside in the place of Dr. Joseph Kyle, the president, who is still unable to leave the house owing to his recent illness.

The theses of the three graduates were delivered in the seminary chapel at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, before the faculty, board of managers, trustees and friends.

Topics Given

William Chestnut Ball's topic was "Bolshevism". Aziz Mikhael (Henry Mitchell), the native Egyptian who is to receive his diploma, had for his subject, "The Dawn of a New Day in Egypt". Sidney Alfred Tamblin spoke of "The Scripture Ideal of World Peace."

The board of managers of the seminary held an adjourned meeting Wednesday morning. The session was brief owing to the meeting which that body held last Wednesday in Xenia in connection with the question of the relocation of the seminary. The board of trustees also met Wednesday for their final session in Xenia. The institution will still be known as the Xenia Seminary after its removal to St. Louis.

A meeting of the alumni of the seminary took place at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Anderson Hall at the seminary. The Rev. John G. King, D. D. of Columbus presided and an address was made by the Rev. John Hyslop of Youngstown.

The alumni banquet is to take place in the dining room of the First United Presbyterian church at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. There is expected to be an unusually large attendance at this meeting.

The degree of bachelor of divinity will be conferred at the graduation exercises upon the Rev. Willis Crafts of Frankfort, Ind.; the Rev. T. James Simpson of Washington, Ind., and Sidney Alfred Tamblin, one of this year's graduates.

AGREE TO CANVASS
BUSINESS MEN ON
FESTIVAL PROJECT

The advisability of holding a Fall Festival in this city during the second week of September, was the principal object of discussion before the members of the Retail Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday night.

Forrest Seacrest, member of the board of directors of the Chillicothe Chamber of Commerce, and who for some years has successfully managed the annual Chillicothe Fall Festival, led the discussion. Mr. Seacrest is anxious to stage a Fall Festival here as a series of the affairs in this section at the same time would enable each to have better concessions.

Chairman A. Moser of the Retail Affairs Committee named a committee of five, headed by Charles Kelbie as chairman, to learn the sentiment of the merchants here on the project. In case it is agreed to stage a festival here this year, Mr. Seacrest will take all the responsibility for its success, will arrange for the concessions and bring the equipment used in Chillicothe here so that none of this work will fall on local men.

Members of the committee also laid preliminary plans for a Two Dollar Day to be held in June. It was also decided to ask the retail merchants to purchase a curtain, lettered in gold saying that their store closes a 5 o'clock in the afternoon and ten o'clock on Saturday.

The proposition of closing on Wednesday afternoons during the months of July and August was also discussed and the matter was laid on the table for further consideration.

MEASLES PREVALENT
AT O. S. & S. O. HOME

For the first time in twelve years there is an epidemic of measles at the O. S. & S. O. Home.

Within a week about 150 cases of the malady have developed and there are now about 100 youngsters ill. The hospital wards are filled with the patients, and some of the cottages have been converted into wards. None of the cases have been serious.

SEMINARY STUDENTS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS



From left to right, William C. Ball, Sidney Alfred Tamblin and Aziz Mikhael. These three men composed the last class to graduate from Xenia Theological Seminary, which this summer will be moved to its new location in St. Louis. The graduates will receive their diplomas and their title Reverend at the graduation exercises Wednesday night. Rev. Ball is from Kansas, and after his graduation will go to Tennessee, where he will have a charge. Rev. Tamblin is from England, but will remain in this country and will have a charge at Findlay, Ohio. Rev. Mikhael, is an Egyptian, and will soon leave for Cairo, Egypt, where he will work among his own people.

DOWNFALL OF CARRANZA
GOVERNMENT IMMINENT

Staunch Federal Supporter Swerves To Rebel Ranks.

Washington, May 5.—Gen. Pablo Gonzales, who has been regarded as the most staunch military supporter of President Carranza is in the state of Texcoco, near Mexico City at the head of a military force ready to move on the Mexican capital, according to advices received here today at the agency of the Sonora revolution.

The downfall of the Carranza government is imminent because of the defection of General Gonzales. It was predicted at the revolutionary agency here.

President Carranza will be permitted to flee from Mexico by way of Vera Cruz, it was intimated at the revolutionary agency here. Rebels now hold control of the lines to Vera Cruz.

General Pablo Gonzales was called to Mexico City several weeks ago and reports that he would desert the Carranza government were it not for the fact that Carranza's newspapers yesterday gave accounts of his defection. He has taken command of the troops which were under General Manuel Gonzales in Texcoco.

General Obregon is now in Chilpancingo, Guerrero, and has issued a proclamation declaring himself under the orders of President De La Huerta of Sonora.

Friendly to U. S.
Nacoe, Mex., May 5.—Past insults heaped upon the United States by the Carranza regime have not been endorsed by the Mexican people and the new revolutionary government seeks to cultivate the friendship and confidence of the American people. It was declared here today by Governor Adolfo de La Huerta, supreme commander of the rebel movement which seeks Carranza's overthrow.

In an interview, Gov. De La Huerta said:

"The Mexican people as a whole fully appreciate the fact that the United States has more than stretched its patience beyond all limits in exonerating its diplomatic intercourse with Carranza and it is indeed a shame that the masses of Mexico must be made to suffer for the acts of one who has clothed himself with the robe of the invincible."

ALLIES IN MESSAGE
CHARGE GERMANY
WITH BAD FAITH

Berlin, May 4.—(Delayed)—Two notes charging gross infringements of German rights in plebiscite territories was lodged with the allies today by the German government.

The first and most serious, dealt with the situation in upper Silesia where bloody clashes occurred on Sunday between Poles and Germans. The government furnished Gov. Lerond, the inter-allied commission at Oppeln, with complete details of an alleged Polish plot which had for its goal the forcible annexation of upper Silesia. Seven photographic reproductions of the secret orders issued by the plotters accompanied the note.

The note demanded that the so-called "Polish patriots" in the disputed territory be banished from the district. It held that an honest plebiscite of the inhabitants could not be held otherwise.

The second protest was directed to the allied commission in Berlin and complained of a Danish breach of the treaty terms in the forcible occupation of Schleswig-Holstein, where a plebiscite also is to be held. "Germany will not recognize occupation in this form," said the Allgemeine Zeitung.

U. S. POPULATION
SHOWS INCREASE
OF 20 PER CENT

Officials Refuse To Comment on Unofficial Figures.

MAY BE 106,000,000

Increase Not As Great as During Present Decade.

Washington, May 5.—Uncle Sam's family is growing. Despite war losses, the stoppage of immigration during the war, emigration of those who returned to their native lands for military service, and the influenza epidemic, complete returns for the 1920 census will show an increase in the population of the United States of from 16 to 20 percent, according to expert estimates obtained today and based on published figures of the census bureau.

Director Rogers of the bureau and other officials were willing today to state that the unofficial estimate of 106,000,000 for the population of the United States in July 1919, would be broken down by the completion of the 1920 census.

To date complete returns have been announced for 759 towns and cities, showing a total population of approximately 15,000,000 people. The percentage of increase since 1910 for these towns has been approximately 24 percent; about four percent less than the period between 1900 and 1910. The increase between 1900 and 1910 was 21 percent but it is the opinion of experts that the increase shown during the present decade will be slightly lower due to the war and conditions arising out of the war.

SEE LARGE GROWTH

Tabulations of populations thus far completed show an unusually large growth in those centers which are chiefly industrial. The report of the agricultural census have not yet been tabulated to a sufficient extent to show accurately the decrease in population in the agricultural communities, but it is confidently expected by census experts that the decrease will be in many instances as high as 25 percent, with an average decrease in agricultural population of 7 percent.

The 1910 census showed that of a total population of 91,972,266 in the United States that 42,623,322 lived in towns and villages of more than 2,500 population. Preliminary estimates thus far in the census of 1920 showed approximately 10,090,000 people living in towns of more than 2,500 with some 13,000 communities still to be tabulated.

Figures for the larger cities, including New York, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and Boston are still to be announced.

It is not expected that tabulation of the 1920 census will be completed before October 1.

RIGHT OF CONGRESS
TO EFFECT GERMAN
PEACE QUESTIONED

Washington, May 5.—The constitutional right of Congress to end the technical state of war still existing between the United States and Germany and Austria will be raised in the senate today when the Knox peace resolution is called up.

Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, former secretary of state, and member of the senate foreign relations committee will open the debate for the Republican side on the measure of which he is the author.

He will challenge the course of President Wilson since the signing of the armistice on November 11, 1918, in dealing with the questions of the re-establishment of peace between the American and the German and Austrian peoples.

Knox's carefully prepared speech will be awaited with interest by leaders of both the Republican and Democratic parties. It is expected to sound the keynote of opposition to the treaty of Versailles which Knox and other Republican spokesmen are prepared to voice at the Chicago Republican convention.

RESOLUTION ON
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Ohio Woman Suffrage Association Takes Steps.

Columbus, O., May 5.—Adoption of a "free speech" resolution was delayed by heated debate at the "dissolution" session of the Ohio Woman suffrage association here.

The resolution favors "complete freedom of speech and no punishment of any defense which consists of words only." It had a preamble declaring that "the right to express his ideas is prized by each human being as the essence of personal liberty, that history has shown the source of all real progress is in ideas which, when first propounded are apt to be regarded as dangerous, that no organized group of officials ever was wise enough to be trusted to act as censor for ideas, that the principle of freedom of speech is, and has been, recognized as fundamental to social and political freedom."

Resolutions presented asked for increase of teachers salaries and insurance of tenure of office for teachers; legislation for a social order to give men and women equality of opportunity, equality before the law and equality of service; curtailment of high prices by wearing "old clothes" and buying economically; amnesty for all purely political prisoners, and opposition to compulsory military training.

Dissolution of the old organization was preliminary to the proposed formation here today of the Ohio league of women voters, in the belief that women will be able to vote at the November elections.

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, Warren, president, and other officers of the erstwhile association were re-chosen to continue their campaign efforts for suffrage.

UNEARTHED MASTODON'S TUSK

Cincinnati, May 5.—While excavating for a building foundation in the central part of this city yesterday workmen unearthed a mastodon's tusk eight feet long. It was 15 feet below the surface.

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This is the view taken here among members of all parties after analyzing the returns from Tuesday's battles in the middle west and on the Pacific coast.

The use the senator from California will put his advantage to, however, has set the politicians here guessing. Whether he will insist upon heading the ticket named at the Chicago convention or accept the vice presidential nomination, playing second fiddle to Senator Philander Knox of Pennsylvania, as has been suggested in inspired circles, or take the bit in food administrator.

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At the annual congregational meeting Tuesday night, Mrs. W. R. McClesney, wife of the president of Cedarville college, and Mrs. Ida Stormont were elected trustees, to replace two male members whose terms have expired.

William Conley was elected president of the congregation and Miss Alberta Cresswell, secretary.

The church finances were reported in good condition, with a balance of \$200 in the treasury.

SEMINARY HOLDS 126TH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

Last Exercises In Xenia
To Be Held Wednesday Evening.

THREE GRADUATES

Alumni Banquet Takes
Place at First U. P.
Church.

The one hundred and twenty-sixth commencement of Xenia Theological Seminary, and the last graduation exercises to be held by the old school as a Xenia institution, will take place at the First United Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

Prof. James M. Gray, D. D. dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, will deliver the class address at the graduation exercises. Dr. Gray arrived in Xenia Wednesday morning, and is registered at the Regal Hotel.

Presentation of diplomas and conferring of degrees will be in charge of Dr. Jesse Johnson, vice president of the seminary, who will preside in the place of Dr. Joseph Kyle, the president, who is still unable to leave the house owing to his illness.

The theses of the three graduates were delivered in the seminary chapel at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, before the faculty, board of managers, trustees and friends.

Topics Given
William Chestnut Ball's topic was "Bolshevism." Aziz Mikhael (Henry Mitchell), the native Egyptian who is to receive his diploma, had for his subject, "The Dawn of a New Day in Egypt." Sidney Alfred Tamblin, spoke of "The Scripture Ideal of World Peace."

The board of managers of the seminary held an adjourned meeting Wednesday morning. The session was brief owing to the meeting which that body held last Wednesday in Xenia in connection with the question of the re-location of the seminary. The board of trustees also met Wednesday for their final session in Xenia. The institution will still be known as the Xenia Seminary after its removal to St. Louis.

A meeting of the alumni of the seminary took place at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Anderson Hall at the seminary. The Rev. John C. King, D. D. of Columbus presided and an address was made by the Rev. John Hyslop of Youngstown.

The alumni banquet is to take place in the dining room of the First United Presbyterian church at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. There is expected to be an unusually large attendance at this meeting.

The degree of bachelor of divinity will be conferred at the graduation exercises upon the Rev. Willis Crafts of Frankfort, Ind.; the Rev. T. James Simpson of Washington, Ind., and Sidney Alfred Tamblin, one of this year's graduates.

AGREE TO CANVASS BUSINESS MEN ON FESTIVAL PROJECT

The advisability of holding a Fall Festival in this city during the second week of September, was the principal object of discussion before the members of the Retail Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday night.

Forrest Secrest, member of the board of directors of the Chillicothe Chamber of Commerce, and who for some years has successfully managed the annual Chillicothe Fall Festival, led the discussion. Mr. Secrest is anxious to stage a Fall Festival here as a series of the affairs in this section at the same time would enable each to have better concessions.

Chairman A. Moser of the Retail Affairs Committee named a committee of five, headed by Charles Kelbie as chairman, to learn the sentiment of the merchants here on the project. In case it is agreed to stage a festival here this year, Mr. Secrest will take all the responsibility for its success, will arrange for the concessions and bring the equipment used in Chillicothe here so that none of this work will fall on local men.

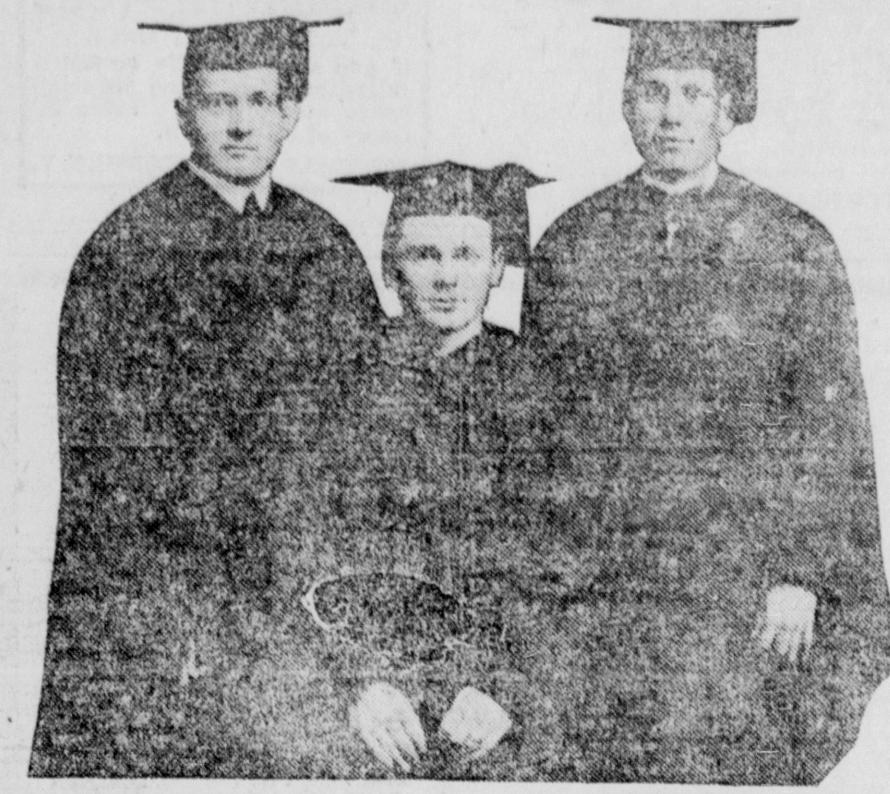
Members of the committee also laid preliminary plans for a Two Dollar Day to be held in June. It was also decided to ask the retail merchants to purchase a curtain, lettered in gold saying that their store closes at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and ten o'clock on Saturday.

The proposition of closing on Wednesday afternoons during the months of July and August was also discussed and the matter was laid on the table for further consideration.

**MEASLES PREVALENT
AT O. S. & S. O. HOME**
For the first time in twelve years there is an epidemic of measles at the O. S. and S. O. Home.

Within a week about 150 cases of the malady have developed and there are now about 100 youngsters ill. The hospital wards are filled with the patients, and some of the cottages have been converted into wards. None of the cases have been serious.

SEMINARY STUDENTS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS



From left to right, William C. Ball, Sidney Alfred Tamblin and Aziz Mikhael. These three men composed the last class to graduate from Xenia Theological Seminary, which this summer will be moved to its new location in St. Louis. The graduates will receive their diplomas and their title Reverend at the graduation exercises Wednesday night.

Rev. Ball is from Kansas, and after his graduation will go to Tennessee, where he will have a charge. Rev. Tamblin is from England, and will remain in this country and will have a charge at Findlay, Ohio. Rev. Mikhael, is an Egyptian, and will soon leave for Cairo, Egypt, where he will work among his own people.

DOWNFALL OF CARRANZA GOVERNMENT IMMINENT

Staunch Federal Supporter Swerves To Rebel Ranks.

Washington, May 5.—Gen. Pablo Gonzales, who has been regarded as the most staunch military supporter of President Carranza in the state of Mexico, near Mexico City at the head of a military force ready to move on the Mexican capital, according to advices received here today at the agency of the Sonora revolution.

The downfall of the Carranza government is imminent because of the defection of General Gonzales. It was predicted at the revolutionary agency here.

President Carranza will be permitted to flee from Mexico by way of Vera Cruz, it was intimated at the revolutionary agency here. Rebels now hold control of the lines to Vera Cruz.

General Pablo Gonzales was called to Mexico City several weeks ago and reports that he would desert the Carranza government were it not for the Carranza City newspapers, yesterday gave accounts of his defection. He has taken command of the troops which were under General Manuel Gonzales in Texcoco.

General Obregon is now in Chilpancingo, Guerrero, and has issued a proclamation declaring himself under the orders of President De La Huerta of Sonora.

Friendly to U. S.
Nace, Mex., May 5.—Past insults heaped upon the United States by the Carranza regime have not been endorsed by the Mexican people and the new revolutionary government seeks to cultivate the friendship and confidence of the American people. It was declared here today by Governor Adolfo De La Huerta, supreme commander of the rebel movement which seeks Carranza's overthrow.

In an interview, Gov. De La Huerta said:

"The Mexican people as a whole fully appreciate the fact that the United States has more than stretched its patience beyond all limits in exercising its diplomatic intercourse with Carranza and it is indeed a shame that the masses of Mexico must be made to suffer for the acts of one who has clothed himself with the robe of the invincible."

ALLIES IN MESSAGE CHARGE GERMANY WITH BAD FAITH

Berlin, May 4.—(Delayed)—Two notes charging gross infringements of German rights in plebiscite territories was lodged with the allies today by the German government.

The first and most serious, dealt with the situation in upper Silesia where bloody clashes occurred on Sunday between Poles and Germans.

The government furnished Gov. Lerond, the inter-allied commissioner at Oppeln, with complete details of an alleged Polish plot which had for its goal the forcible annexation of upper Silesia. Seven photographic reproductions of the secret orders issued by the plotters accompanied the note.

The note demanded that the so-called "Polish patriots" in the disputed territory be banished from the district. It held that an honest plebiscite of the inhabitants could not be held otherwise.

The second protest was directed to the allied commission in Berlin and complained of a Danish breach of the treaty terms in the forcible occupation of Schleswig-Holstein, where a plebiscite also is to be held.

"Germany will not recognize occupation in this form," said the Allgemeine Zeitung.

U. S. POPULATION SHOWS INCREASE OF 20 PER CENT

Officials Refuse To Comment On Unofficial Figures.

MAY BE 106,000,000

Increase Not As Great
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Washington, May 5.—Uncle Sam's family is growing. Despite war losses, the stoppage of immigration during the war, emigration of those who returned to their native lands for military service, and the influenza epidemic, complete returns for the 1920 census will show an increase in the population of the United States of from 16 to 20 percent, according to expert estimates obtained today and based on published figures of the census bureau.

Director Rogers of the bureau and other officials were willing today to state that the unofficial estimate of 106,000,000 for the population of the United States in July 1919, would be broken down by the completion of the 1920 census.

To date complete returns have been announced for 759 towns and cities, showing a total population of approximately 15,000,000 people. The percentage of increase since 1910 for these towns has been approximately 24 percent; about four percent less than the period between 1900 and 1910. The increase between 1900 and 1910 was 21 percent but it is the opinion of experts that the increase shown during the present decade will be slightly lower due to the war and conditions arising out of the war.

SEE LARGE GROWTH
Tabulations of populations thus far completed show an unusually large growth in those centers which are chiefly industrial. The report of the agricultural census have not yet been tabulated to a sufficient extent to show accurately the decrease in population in the agricultural communities, but it is confidently expected by census experts that the decrease will be in many instances as high as 25 percent, with an average decrease in agricultural population of 7 percent.

The 1910 census showed that of a total population of 91,972,266 in the United States that 42,623,323 lived in towns and villages of more than 2,500 population. Preliminary estimates thus far in the census of 1920 showed approximately 10,090,000 people living in towns of more than 2,500 with some 13,000 communities still to be tabulated.

Figures for the larger cities, including New York, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and Boston are still to be announced.

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RIGHT OF CONGRESS TO EFFECT GERMAN PEACE QUESTIONED

Washington, May 5.—The constitutional right of Congress to end the technical state of war still existing between the United States and Germany and Austria will be raised in the senate today when the Knox peace resolution is called up.

Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, former secretary of state and member of the senate foreign relations committee will open the debate for the Republican side on the measure of which he is the author.

He will challenge the course of President Wilson since the signing of the armistice on November 11, 1918, in dealing with the questions of the re-establishment of peace between the American and the German and Austrian peoples.

Knox's carefully prepared speech will be awaited with interest by leaders of both the Republican and Democratic parties. It is expected to sound the keynote of opposition to the treaty of Versailles which Knox and other Republican spokesmen are prepared to voice at the Chicago Republican convention.

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Johnson's "mashing victory over Herbert Hoover in California clinched the senator's grip on those elements within the G. O. P. which would control the destinies of the party and it is everywhere admitted today that whatever happens at Chicago, nothing will be done without first reckoning with him.

Many here expressed surprise. They believed Hoover would make a far better showing against Johnson in California than he did. They believed he would carry the state but his friends apparently held to the sincere belief that he would give Johnson the race of his life and make the finish so close that it would virtually amount to a victory for the former in inspired circles, or take the bit in food administrator.

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This is the view taken here among members of all parties after analyzing the returns from Tuesday's battles in the middle west and on the Pacific coast.

The use the senator from California will put his advantage to, however, has set the politicians here guessing. Whether he will insist upon heading the ticket named at the Chicago convention or accept the vice presidential nomination, playing second fiddle to Senator Philander Knox of Pennsylvania, as has been suggested in inspired circles, or take the bit in food administrator.

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quarterly installments, beginning May 15th, 1920.
payment in full by check herewith.

(Indicate by cross-mark which method of payment you select.)

Name

Street Address

City State

Send pledge or make out check to JOHN H. McVAY, Xenia, Ohio,
 or to

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ALL SUMMER'S WORK

THE LOYD CONTRACTING CO.

WANTED—Help at Skidoo Restaurant. 5-3
PAINTERS WANTED—Apply to M. E. Coulter 535 West Second St., Bell 687-W. 5-6

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WANTED—Office girl, one with bookkeeping or typewriting experience preferred. Address X. Y. Gazette. 5-6

MEN AND WOMEN WANTED

Steady Employment—Good Wages. Apply
The Hooven & Allison Co.
Employment Office Cincinnati Ave. 4-10-14

MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE—It's practical and profitable. Big demand. Short term. Write Moler Barber College, 341 West 6th, Cincinnati, O. 5-6

WANTED

WANTED—All farmers to plant sugar cane as sugar is high. P. S. Dale will run a first class sorghum mill two miles west of Xenia on R. 7. 5-6

WANTED—Family sewing. 500 So. Columbus St. Clitz 460. 5-15

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bell 539-W. 5-8

WANTED—Baled or loose hay. John Lush, Clitz 437-BK. 5-8

WANTED TO TRADE a 1917 Ford roadster body for 1917 or later touring body or will buy. Call 539-W. Bell 437-BK. 5-8

WANTED—To rent by first part of May, five or six room house. Call Xenia Garage. 4-13-17

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room house. Family of three. Reference. Address M. R. E. care Gazette. 4-13-17

WANTED—To list residence worth \$1000 to \$3000. John Harbino, Allen Building. 5-12

MEN BOARDERS wanted. Mrs. Harbino, 128 Trumbull St. 5-7

FOR SALE POULTRY AND EGGS

FOR SALE—Pure Buff Rock eggs for hatching. \$1.50 for 15. Mrs. David Lynch, Jamestown, O. R. 5. 5-8

FOR SALE—Pure bred barred Rock eggs for hatching. Write or phone for prices. Leigh Bickett, R. 9. Bell phone 4002-2. 5-24

FOR SALE—S. C. R. Red eggs from excellent layers. Bartlett Bros. rose henry N. Jones, Jamestown, Ct. 11-412. 5-6

TAKING ORDERS for day old chicks. Rocks and Reds. Prepaid parcel post shipment. Clitz 7503. Mrs. Vertley Lewis R. 6, Xenia, Ohio. 5-8

FOR SALE—Bred Rock eggs for hatching. \$1.50 per 15. \$5.00 per 100. Clitz 3-805. Mrs. Ed. S. Foust. 5-14

BARRER PLYMOUTH Rock Eggs. from stock bred from winners at Indianapolis. Clitz 7503. Mrs. Vertley Lewis R. 6, Xenia, Ohio. 5-8

TRUCKS AND HAULING

MOTOR TRUCK HAULING. Trucks equipped with SHOCK ABSORBERS. Save from jar, stock, furniture etc. Kelly Ford Station. Bell 432. Clitz 272

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—All repairs left in our shop at a price to cover charges. If not called for in thirty days. The Rocklet-Rice Company, 415 W. Main St. 5-8

FOR SALE—500 bushels of corn. See Henry Toms, 16 W. Second St. or call Bell 4011-W. 5-5

FOR SALE—Iron Fence around Roberts Villa, now being taken down, must go this week. Price 50 per cent of cost at factory today. See Frank W. Donda. 5-5

FOR SALE—Coal shed, pictures, wash stand. Bell 814-R. 5-2

CABBAGE PLANTS—Tomatoes. Ready now, 50c per 100. Engle Floral Co. 4-13-17

FOR SALE—Galloway cream separator good condition. Only been used one year. Bell 4004-11. 5-5

FOR SALE—Clothes wringer, lawn mower, two pairs of shutters, vacuum sweeper and desk. Bell 338-R. 5-7

FOR SALE—Carpenter's bench, grinding stone, mortise machine and cement block machine. 224 Cincinnati Ave. Bell phone 694-W. 5-4-17

FOR SALE—Extra tire carrier for Ford. Never been used. Call at 125 Pleasant St., Xenia. 5-6

FOR SALE—Water power motor washing machine. Used only a little. Call at 125 Pleasant St. 5-6

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Old and Second Hand Cars purchased for their parts. We have NEW and SECOND HAND Axles, gears, bearings, b-dies, magneto and everything for all makes of cars.

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FOR SALE LIVE STOCK

THE REGISTERED Belgian Stallion, Don Faro 11464, will make the season of 1920 at the farm, four miles from Xenia on the Wilmington pike. Fee \$12. H. M. Turner, owner. 5-23

FOR SALE—A few choice B. T. Poland China gilts. Bell 4021-R. 5-7

FOR SALE—One Jersey bull eighteen months old. Inquire at Barnett's saw mill. Bell 20. 5-7

FOR SALE—3 sows and 21 pigs, two work horses. O. H. Snyder, Burlington Pike. 5-6

FOR SALE—Driving mare cheap, and carriage in good condition. James H. Hawkins. Bell phone. 5-6

FOR SALE—Male hog, 13 months old, bred by Foust's Top Colonel. Lewis Frye, Clitz phone. 5-5

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey male hog, Clitz phone 3 on 825. E. S. Conklin, 4 mi. so. of Xenia. 5-5

FOR SALE—2 male calves, 1 week old, one a Jersey, eligible to registry. Clitz phone, S. P. Malloy. 5-5

FOR SALE—Gelding four years old, well broke, priced to sell, work single or double. Clitz phone 86-R. Bell 981-M. 5-6

FOR SALE—A few extra good Spotted Poland China male pigs, old enough for service. Fred W. Williamson. Bell 14-1002. 5-7

FOR SALE—A brown colt coming 4 years old, standard bred, double gaited and fast, also runabout and harness. Call at 309 East Market street, Xenia, or Bell phone 1918-R. 5-5

THE REGISTERED Belgian stallion Cardinal will make the season of 1920 at my farm six miles south of Xenia, just off the highway pike on the Xenia road. Fee \$12. T. H. Middleton, owner. Clitz phone 1/2 on 825. 5-4

REGISTERED PERCHERON STALLION, Incident 1138459 will be at farm on Indian Riffle Road. Was at prize colt at Ohio State Fair and Daily show 1917. G. E. Sellers, Bell phone. 5-5

FOR SALE—Duroc boars of quality. Priced reasonable. Clitz phone. Allen Bickett, Xenia. 5-7

HORSE for sale, driver only, age 12. John Harbino, Allen Bldg. Phone. 5-13

URN SALE

Filed and placed in Cemetery for Decoration Day. ORDER NOW SO WE CAN GET THEM STARTED. (Filing Now.) 4-27-17

ENGLE FLORAL CO.

FOR SALE—Chick size scratch feed: no grit or adulterants. 3 pounds 20c. Babb Means Best. Poultry Supplies. 5-17

MISCELLANEOUS

PLAT CANE—Plant cane and broom corn. F. S. Dale will make the finished product two miles west of Xenia R. 7. 5-6

FOR SALE—Reed baby cab in good condition. 17 West Church. Bell phone 169-R. 5-7

PROTECT YOUR HOME—Asphalt roofing. Fire proof. All designs. Experienced roofers. Also stucco work. Chimney work a specialty. Bell 344-R. 5-17

ROOFING FOR SALE—Red or green slate surface at \$3.40 per sq. yard. 5-17

DON'T FORGET where you can get your lawn mower sharpened at living prices. Work guaranteed. 13 Lynn St. Sam Wharton. 5-5

MONEY TO LOAN—We have plenty of money to loan on farm land and in green county. Easy terms, long time, liberal payment privileges. Write us or phone. Henderson & Starbuck, Wilmington, O. 4-30-17

FEED GRINDING and baling. Prompt satisfaction. East End Feed store, Xenia, C. C. Turner. 5-24

THE REGISTERED PERCHERON STALLION, Duroc 86839 will make the season of 1920 at my farm on the Jamestown Pike. Fee \$15. S. Dean, Bell phone 4004-4. Clitz 21-816. 5-16

HAVE YOUR VAULTS and cesspools cleaned by the Xenia Vault Cleaning Co. Bell 337-W. Clitz 187. 4-21-17

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS at 5 1/2 per cent interest for 5 and 10 years with privilege to pay \$100 or more on the principal every six months. Terrell & Terrell, Wilmington, O. 4-17-17

INCOME—Property paying \$30 monthly, for sale, \$3500. John Harbino, Allen Building. 5-12

SECOND-HAND stoves, furniture and carpets, bought and sold. Do repair work. Gas stoves delivered and connected. Judy's second-hand store. No. 11 North King St. Bell 738. Clitz 187. 5-12

LOANS ON EVERYTHING. Notes and bonds bought. Farms, houses and lots for sale. John Harbino, Allen Building. Telephones. 10-27-17

GARWOOD, designed and built homes are better homes. Bell 619-W. 1-29-17

FOR SALE—Few loads of good garden manure. Inquire at Barnett's saw mill. Bell 20. 5-7

FOR SALE—1 new Ford ton truck complete with stock rack, pneumatic tires. Priced \$725.00. Cadillac truck, capacity 1500 lbs. pneumatic tires. Priced \$275.00. Citizens 193. Bell 97. 5-7

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On New Burlington pike Saturday night black and green robe. Leave at Chevrolet garage and receive reward. 5-6

LOST—New automobile—certain between Xenia and Goe. Finder leave at Gazette office. 5-5

LOST—Saturday morning 2 miles out on Lower Bellbrook pike 1 pipe wrench, 1 small wrench oil can and hammer. Call Chas. McPherson, Reward. 5-5

LOST—Auto curtain, somewhere between Ludlow road and Xenia. Leave at Chevrolet garage or call Bell 4027-W. 1. 5-6

FOUND—Door key on So. Detroit. Call at Gazette office. 5-5

FOR SALE HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—A Moore's Air Tight Heating stove, A gas stove and baby stroller. Call at 249 South West St. after 5 p. m. 4-24-17

FOR SALE—A body Brussels rug, 9x12, wool fibre rug, 9x12, Princess Oak Dresser, 6 pairs of Batenberg edged curtains, kitchen table, and cabinet, oak stand, small gas heating stove, oak for dining room, mahogany 136, baby table, all in very good condition. Call Clitz 377-Black. 5-5

FOR SALE—Cook and heating stoves, wood coal, gas or kerosene, stove repairing of all kinds Andy Fholt, Second Hand Store, 15 West Third Street. 5-4-17

QUICK SALE—Iron fence for lawn, good condition, 119 N. Detroit St. 5-5

FOR SALE—Two electric fixtures for residence, good condition, wired. Call Bell 812-W or 505 So. Detroit. 5-5

FOR SALE—Reed baby cab in good condition. 17 West Church. Bell phone 169-R. 5-4

FISHBACK'S NEW AND SECONDHAND STORE 635-7-8 East Main. Buy and sell clothes, stoves, furniture, carpets etc. Clitz phone C3334. 6-11-17

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House and 7 acres of ground at Maple Corner. D. L. Jones, Clitz 12-828. 5-5

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern, corner Second and Whiteman. Bell 575-R. 5-5

FAIRMS FOR SALE—I have some of the finest farms in Greene Co. num. ber acres as follows: 30; 100; 125; 117; 95; 123; 103; 150; 73; 100; 140; 104; 90; 50; 160; 73; 49; 18; 7; 40; 83; 16; 175; also a number of beautiful homes in Spring Valley. It will pay you to see me if you want real estate. M. N. Douglas, Spring Valley, Ohio. 5-5

FOR RENT—Individual storage rooms, large enough to accommodate furniture of an ordinary house. Rooms can be locked with no danger of theft. Inquire Gazette office. 5-5

FOR RENT—Country home for summer months, four miles from town, on good pike. Electric lights. Address Box 123. care Gazette. 5-5

FOR RENT—5 room apartment, very central, conveniences. Address C. D. V. care Gazette. 5-6

FOR SALE AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—Interstate touring, five passenger, 1917 model, run 8000 miles. Bargain if sold this week. 5-7

FOR SALE—A bargain, Maxwell touring car in No. 1 condition. 45 West Main St., Xenia. 5-10

FOR SALE—Sedan Ford, good order. Price \$790. C. M. Ridgeway, Cedarville, Ohio. Clitz phone 77. 5-7

FOR SALE—Ford chassis, 1 ton truck, good as new. Fiste and Buck, 215 Collier. Bell 337. Clitz 208. 4-29-17

FOR SALE—Automobile, Buick, 1912 model, in good running condition, at a price to sell. Robt. Bird, Cedarville, Ohio. 5-10

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Fine farm 130 acres 2 miles west of Yellow Springs, O. One of the best improved farms in the county. See or call Ed. Galloway, 11 E. Main St., Xenia, Ohio. 5-4-17

MUST SELL two story 42x45 bottling and ice cream factory; also fine building lot; 50x138; electricity; gas; city water; low price. Owner, 302 Elizabeth street, New Lexington, O. 5-10

JOHN W. PRUGH—The Real Estate Man. Will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twenty years successful business. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-1-17

LONG AND MARSHALL—Real estate men. We sell or buy city or farm property. We will loan you money. See us. No. 19 South Detroit St. Gazette bldg. 3-29-17

Auction Sale Saturday, May 8, at 1:30 p. m. at 107 West Market St.

Furniture, dishes, silverware, kitchen cabinet, rocking chairs, stands, clothes, rugs, 50 lb. refrigerator, linoleum and other articles.

R. R. GRIEVE

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CINCINNATI PRODUCE
Butter lower; whole milk creamery extra 65 1-2c; centralized extra 63 1-2; firsts 60 1-2c; packing 35@40c. Rest unchanged.

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Pittsburgh—Cattle—Supply light; market steady; choice \$14@15; prime \$14@15; good \$13.25@14; tidy butchers \$13@14; fair \$12.25@12.75; common \$12.25@12.75 common to good fat bulls \$10@11.50; common to good fat cows \$6@9; heifers \$13; fresh cows and springers \$7@10; veal calves \$17.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply 300 head; market steady; prime wethers \$13.50; good mixed \$12@12.50; fair mixed \$9.50@10.50; culls and common \$4@8; lambs \$18.

Hogs—Receipts 2500 head; market lower; prime heavy hogs \$15@15.25; mediums \$16.75@17; heavy Yorkers \$16.75@17; light Yorkers \$16@16.50; pigs \$15.75@16; roughs \$8@12.50; stags \$8@12.50.

Attention Breeders
The registered Percheron Stallion "Coxie" 107714 will make the season of 1920 at

XENIA FAIR GROUNDS

If you are wanting to breed to a high class draft stallion, don't overlook this horse. Is the sire of nearly a hundred colts in this community.

TERMS: \$15.00 to insure living foal. Parting with mare forfeits insurance.

MATT HUTCHINSON, Manager
JAMES HAWKINS, Owner

LUMBERTON

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Maynard Middleton, Wednesday afternoon, May 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bradshaw and daughter spent Sunday with Mr.

George Bradshaw and family.

Mr. George Rambo of Martinsville, spent Sunday afternoon with his father, Mr. Isaac Rambo, who has been very ill.

Mrs. A. J. Michener and daughter spent Wednesday in Xenia, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harris entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pond and son Max, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Oglesbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Conklin and son Maynard, spent Sunday in Dayton, the guests of Mr. Orville Painter and family.

Mr. Roy Lewis and family and Mr. Will Lewis were the guests Sunday

Mrs. Jerome DeVoe of Wilmington spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John DeVoe.

Mr. Arthur Oglesbee and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Linkhart of Dayton, spent Sunday afternoon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Linkhart.

Neonexpensive—Cut This Out.

Thousands are making this beneficial remedy at home and anyone who has catarrh or a cold can do the same.

Ask your druggist for three quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Acreline and pour it into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled.

Gargle the throat as directed and sniff or spray the liquid into the nostrils twice daily. It's a simple way to get rid of cold and catarrh and keeps the nasal passage and throat so clean and healthy that germs of flu or any other germs will have a hard time gaining a foothold.

RESTORED TO NORMAL HEALTH BY BIO-FEREN

"I feel I owe you people a world of gratitude for the benefit I have received in using your wonderful remedy—Bio-Feren Tablets, which have completely restored me to normal conditions," says Joseph E. Webb of Muncie, Indiana.

Bio-Feren is without doubt the grandest and quickest remedy for nervous, run down, weak, anemic men and women ever offered direct through the druggists and is not at all expensive.

Take two after each meal and one at bed time, and after seven days take one after each meal and one at bed time until the supply is exhausted.

Then if you feel that any claim made in this special notice is untrue—if you are not in better health—if you do not feel ambitious, more vigorous and keen minded, yes, twice as much as you did before, the druggist who sold you the tablets will gladly hand you back just what you paid for them.

All druggists in this city and vicinity have a supply on hand, or can easily get it for you.

Seven a day for seven days—Wonderful results.

First Relief in 20 Years for Ohio Man

Rheumatism, Liver Troubles, Dizzy Spells, Nervousness and General Run-down System Overcome by Drecto.

If any member of the family suffers from stomach trouble, kidney, liver, bowel or blood troubles, scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, or needs a general tonic to build them up, you cannot do better than to go to the nearest drug store and get a bottle of Drecto, the great root and herb remedy, which did so much good for Mr. Brice E. Blair, who lives at Union Town, near Canton, O.

"This is the first relief I have known in twenty years, and I want all my friends to know what has done it. I've suffered from rheumatism so bad that my joints were swollen up. My muscles would get so sore I could hardly touch them—even the bed clothes hurt sometimes. I got very nervous so that sleep was impossible; had a bitter taste in my mouth; dizzy spells would hit me, and my appetite was about gone. I read in the papers about Drecto and decided to try it, and it sure has given me the greatest relief. I can now walk and bend my joints without pain. My muscles are no longer sore and stiff, and I haven't had a dizzy spell since I started on Drecto. This is great medicine and I want everyone to know about it."

Drecto acts on the bowels and relieves constipation; rouses a sluggish liver to full action, strengthens the kidneys, purifies the blood, quiets the nerves, induces sound sleep, and acts as a tonic to vital organs, giving renewed energy and resistance.

Drecto is now sold by all good druggists and is being specially introduced by

JOHN'S DRUG STORE.

SANTAL MIDY

CATARRH of the BLADDER relieved in 24 HOURS

Each Capsule contains the MIDY name 667

Be aware of counterfeits

TO RENAME PETROGRAD

Paris, May 3.—On the occasion of Nicolai Lenine's fiftieth birthday, a central soviet of Petrograd decided to rename the city "Leningrad." The Echo de Paris learns from Stockholm.

KOREAN IS SENTENCED

Seoul Korea, May 3.—A special Court has sentenced Kangokio, a Korean, to death on a charge of attempting to assassinate Admiral Baron Saito, the Japanese Governor General of Korea, last year.

Ugly, Unsightly Pimples Are Signals of Bad Blood

Give heed to the Warning.

Pimples on the face and other parts of the body are warnings from Nature that your blood is sluggish and impoverished. Sometimes they foretell eczema, boils, blisters, scaly eruptions and other skin disorders that burn like flames of fire.

They mean that your blood needs S. S. S. to cleanse it of these accumulations that cause unlimited

trouble. This remedy is the greatest vegetable blood purifier known, and contains no minerals or chemicals to injure the most delicate skin.

Get a bottle of S. S. S. today, and get rid of those unsightly and disgusting pimples, and other skin irritations. If you wish special medical advice, you can obtain it without charge by writing to Medical Director, 105 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

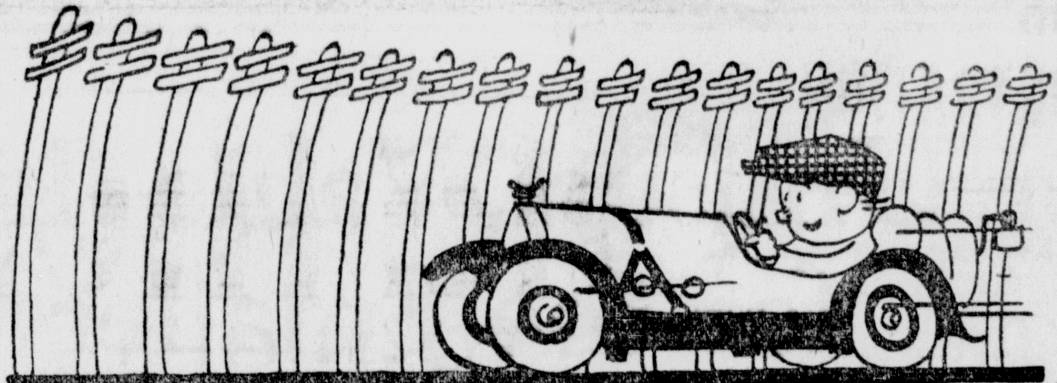
It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after-service" when required.

W. A. KELLEY

Bell 488. Citizens 279

AUTHORIZED FORD SALES AND SERVICE

Insist on Genuine Ford Parts



Do the Telephone Poles Look Like Teeth on a Comb?

And is there a thrill in each hill that you climb? Or are you just hitting the pace of a snail, and hoping you'll get there in time to start back?

Good gas is the secret of motoring joy. It pepes up the engine and car driver, too. So load up with good

Columbus Gasoline

Ask any of the thousands of Ohio motorists who use Columbus: "How come this gasoline is so good?"

They'll tell you that they buy nothing but Columbus because Columbus gives them the results they're after—quick starting, instant acceleration, masterful power on hills and in heavy going, and abnormal mileage returns from every gallon.

A tankful of Columbus in your car will give you that same delightful feeling of security that you have with new tires on all four wheels. You can't beat Columbus for efficiency. And

BELLBROOK

Fred Barth of Alpha. was a Bellbrook visitor, Friday.

Walter Morris, John H. Wright and Mrs. W. S. Hodges changed dwelling places last week.

Alfred Loy returned home Saturday, after two weeks spent with relatives in Columbus and Portsmouth.

A number from here attended the home talent show at Spring Valley, one night last week.

Mrs. Jonas Whitacre, daughter Ethel and Mrs. Nellie Soward were Xenia visitors, Saturday.

Charles Bigger and family, after a residence of three years on his father's farm, three miles from town, returned to Dayton Saturday. Mr. Bigger will again enter into the employ of the Malleable Iron Works Company, at which place he served as paymaster for 21 years preceding his return to the country.

Charles Underwood is having his barber shop painted and papered.

Robert Glynn and family of Dayton, spent Sunday with Mr. Glynn's uncle and aunt, John and Kate Canning.

We are glad to announce that J. T. Baird, who has been at the Miami Valley hospital for the past two months on account of a surgical operation, has almost recovered.

The Possum Run bridge on Franklin street, is not quite completed, but is open to all kinds of traffic.

Mayor William Fulkerson and family of Spring Valley, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Fulkerson's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Raper.

"Rose Brook Farm," and interesting rural drama, will be presented by members of the graduating class and others of the local high school, at the town hall, on the evenings of May 11 and 12.

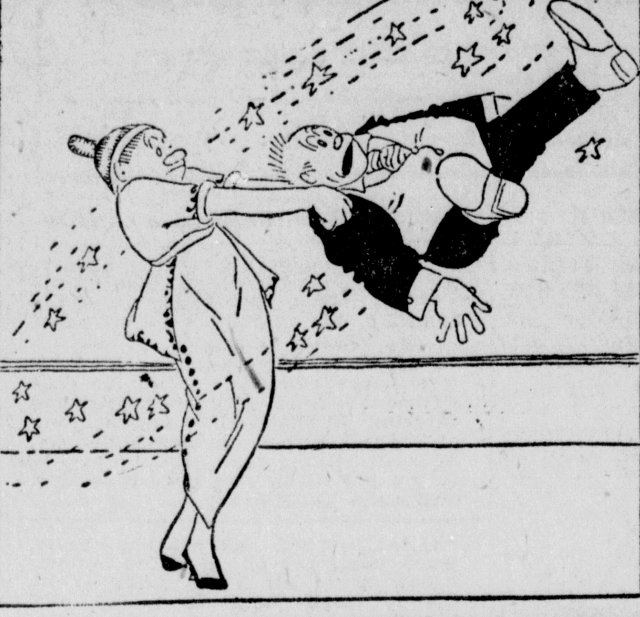
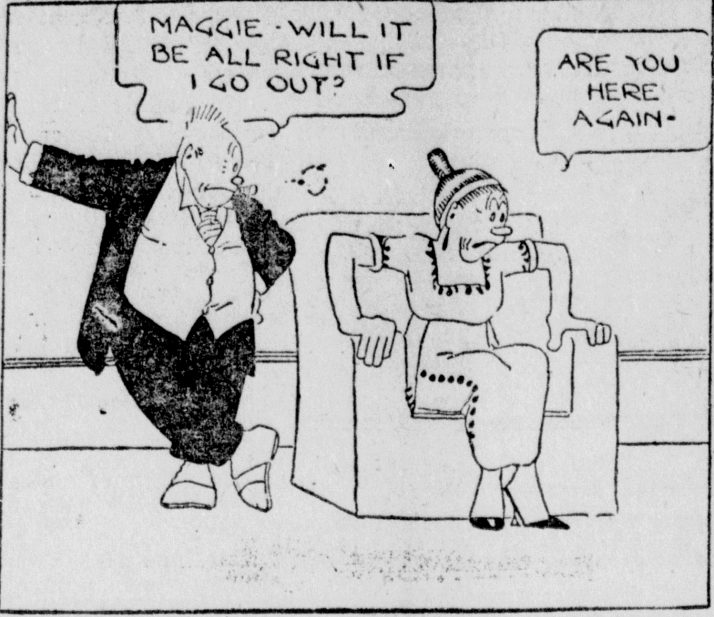
Mrs. Rebecca Sidenstricker is dangerously ill with pneumonia. All her children have been summoned to her bedside.

Mrs. Deliah Dill entertained a number of relatives from a distance Sunday.

While shopping in Wanesville, Saturday, Mrs. Ruth Sears, widowed sister of James Elliott, who resides in the south-western part of the township, near the Montgomery county line, was stricken with heart failure and died instantly. Mrs. Sears was about 75 years of age. She was the widow of the late William Sears, and has been living for a number of years with the above named brother and a maiden sister, all that are now left of her father's family. Funeral services occurred at the late residence Tuesday at 10 o'clock a. m., and burial made in Bellbrook cemetery.

A gloom was cast over the village Friday morning, when the announcement was made that Ex-squire J. L. Ferguson, who far many days had been making preparation for return to Bellbrook, had suddenly died Thursday night at his home in Dayton, following an attack of heart failure. Mr. Ferguson came from near Spring Valley to Bellbrook, in 1888, and resided on his farm just outside the village until about six years ago, when he moved to Dayton. He recently sold his farm and purchased the B. F. James property to which he was making arrange-

"BRINGING UP FATHER"



THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

It's nice to do things for the world. I'm sure no one would shirk If he could only realize How proud it feels to work.



deceased was 69 years of age. During his residence here, he served as Justice of the Peace, member of the Board of Education, and clerk of the Cemetery Board. Besides his widow who was a daughter of the late John McClure, he leaves three grandchildren, who made their home with their grandparents. Funeral services were held at the residence Saturday afternoon, and burial made in Bellbrook cemetery.

JAMESTOWN

Sad and impressive were the funeral services which were held on Friday afternoon for the late James A. Cargill, minister of the Church of Christ in Jamestown, which were in charge of S. M. Smith, minister of the Church of Christ at Bowersville, who after reading a scripture lesson vividly and beautifully described the home which has been prepared for the faithful christian, and spoke comforting words to the bereaved family. The Rev. Willis A. Cooper offered a touching prayer. Mr. James Flax in a few words paid a tribute to the loyalty and devotion to service of Mr. Cargill as a minister. Although



Household Hint

MENU HINT

Breakfast
Orange halves
Rolled Oats with Top Milk and Sugar
Scrambled Eggs on Toast
Crisp Bacon
Coffee

Luncheon
Creamed Tuna Fish with Pimientos on Toast
Homemade Rolls
Grape Jelly
Bread Pudding with canned Peaches
Cocoa

Dinner
Cream of Tomato Soup
Crackers
Stuffed Plank Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Creamed Spinach
Fruit Salad
Bread and Butter
Plain Cake
Cake

RECIPES FOR TODAY

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Walter Morris, John H. Wright and Mrs. W. S. Hodges changed dwelling places last week.

Alfred Loy returned home Saturday, after two weeks spent with relatives in Columbus and Portsmouth.

A number from here attended the home talent show at Spring Valley, one night last week.

Mrs. Jonas Whitacre, daughter Ethel and Mrs. Nellie Soward were Xenia visitors, Saturday.

Charles Bigger and family, after a residence of three years on his father's farm, three miles from town, returned to Dayton Saturday. Mr. Bigger will again enter into the employ of the Malleable Iron Works Company, at which place he served as paymaster for 21 years preceding his return to the country.

Charles Underwood is having his barber shop painted and papered.

Robert Glynn and family of Dayton, spent Sunday with Mr. Glynn's uncle and aunt, John and Kate Canine.

We are glad to announce that J. T. Baird, who has been at the Miami Valley hospital for the past two months on account of a surgical operation, has almost recovered.

The Possum Run bridge on Franklin street, is not quite completed, but is open to all kinds of traffic.

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"Rose Brook Farm," and interesting rural drama, will be presented by members of the graduating class and others of the local high school, at the town hall, on the evenings of May 11 and 12.

Mrs. Rebecca Sidenstricker is dangerously ill with pneumonia. All her children have been summoned to her bedside.

Mrs. Della Dill entertained a number of relatives from a distance Sunday.

While shopping in Wanesville, Saturday, Mrs. Ruth Sears, widowed sister of James Elliott, who resides in the south-western part of the township, near the Montgomery county line, was stricken with heart failure and died instantly. Mrs. Sears was about 75 years of age. She was the widow of the late William Sears, and has been living for a number of years with the above named brother and a maiden sister, all that are now left of her father's family. Funeral services occurred at the late residence Tuesday at 10 o'clock a. m., and burial made in Bellbrook cemetery.

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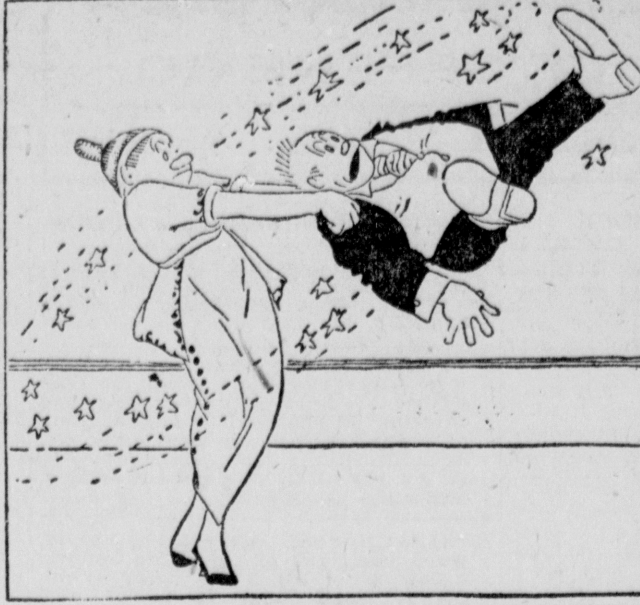


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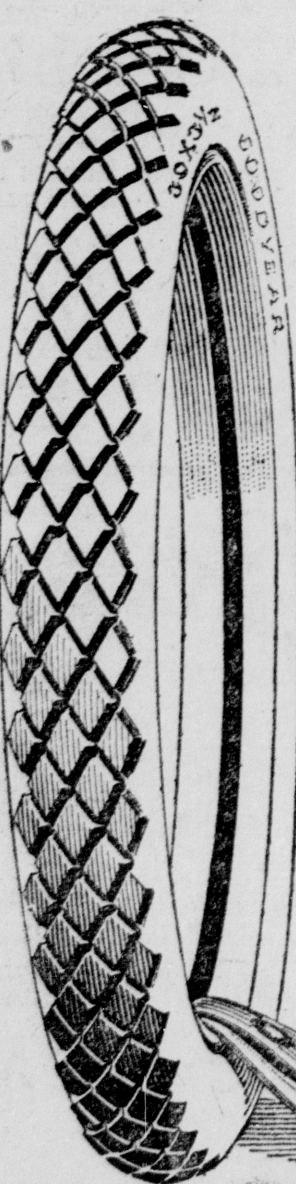
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Mr. Frank E. Baxley is very critically ill at his home on So. Detroit street.

Auction sale household goods, Saturday. 107 W. Market St. R. E. Grieve. adv-5-7

See classified for auction sale of furniture, dishes, silverware, etc. R. R. Grieve. adv-5-7

GET IT AT DONGES.

—Adv.

The Social Service League is greatly in need of clothing and bedding for five sufferers—two families having lost nearly all of their bedding and wearing apparel.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Burnett, former resident of Greene county, were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Rayner in Dayton, Tuesday afternoon, and later at Woodland cemetery chapel, Xenia. The Rev. J. D. Herron, rector of Christ church, officiated at both services. Members of the family served as pallbearers.

"Go after it—through the Classified."

NOTICE—All Grangers wanting twine must positively have their orders in Friday evening, May 7.

John W. Riley, of Troy, was a visitor at the O. S. and S. O. Home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gowdy have as their guest for a day or so, Mrs. Edward Darst, of Berkeley, Cal., who is on her way home after spending two years in Europe engaged in refugee work for the American Red Cross. Mrs. Darst was in Italy and Albania. She recently arrived in New York, and on her trip homeward, is stopping to visit friends and relatives in this vicinity. Her girlhood home was at Belmont, Montgomery county. Mrs. Darst is the widow of the Rev. Edward Darst, who was a relative of Mrs. Gowdy. Mrs. Darst expects to go to Springfield Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Chambliss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chambliss, is suffering from a severe attack of toxemia, the second she has passed thru within a short time.

Miss Henrietta Krepps, of North King street, sustained a severe gash on her forehead and nose, when she tripped and fell against a sharp stone in a walk at her home Monday. A physician dressed the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ziegler, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sanders and daughter Beatrice, of Dayton, and James R. Soward, of near Spring Valley, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Soward of the Lower Bellbrook pike.

William N. Dawson, for the last year acting president of Antioch college was elected president of the college for one year by the board of trustees at a meeting Tuesday. He succeeds Congressman S. D. Fess who resigned from the presidency last year after serving for ten years.

The Xenia W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Wilson Street E. 3rd st., on Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. A. C. Garwood, of North King street, is visiting relatives in Lima and Bellefontaine.

Former soldier friends of Edward Wiscup, World war veteran, served as pallbearers at his burial service Monday afternoon. The funeral was held at the home on Trumbull street, with the Rev. Moon and Griswold officiating. Interment was in Woodland, and the pallbearers were: Price and William Cummings; Ollie Toole, Roy Gorman, Harry Lewis and Glen Johnson.

A large gathering of friends attended the last rites which were held for Mrs. Anna McCreary at the home on High street, Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. C. W. Bennett, and the Rev. H. C. Biddleham officiated. The burial was delayed until Wednesday afternoon in the hope that a daughter, Mrs. English, who is on her way from Oregon, would arrive.

The Rev. J. O. C. McCracken has returned from Wooster, where he spent two days with his son Henry, who is a student at Wooster University.

T. H. Zell, Republican and B. K. Ritenour, Democrat, have been reappointed by the secretary of state as members of the Greene county Board of Elections.

Jasper C. Denham and family have moved to their new home on Spring street, which they bought recently from William daughters of Columbus.

W. E. Baxley, manager of the Western Union main branch at Akron, was called home Wednesday by the illness of his father, Frank Baxley, who is seriously ill at his home on South Detroit street. Mr. Baxley has been ill eight weeks and during the early days of sickness showed symptoms of sleeping sickness.

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Miss Dorothy Faulkner who is a student at Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware arrived at her home near Xenia. She is suffering from an attack of mumps and came home rather than enter the hospital at the school.

A meeting of the New Jasper Farmers' Co-operative Grain Company, will be held Thursday night for the purpose of organizing the company. A meeting will be held at Spring Valley Friday evening to incorporate a farmers co-operative elevator company. Charles C. Latschaw of Defiance will give addresses at both meetings.

Miss Dollie Downing and Miss Fair-est Wallace left Wednesday for Omaha, Neb., where they will take up nursing until fall, when Miss Downing will return to school.

MEASLES IN SUGARCREEK

Owing to prevalence of measles and whooping cough in Sugarcreek township, the Board of Education there has decided to abolish the regular Mass Day exercises of the eighth grade graduates in that township.

The annual exercises were to be held all day May 21, but by the decision of the board, the graduates will merely report at the school in Bellbrook on that day and will be presented their certificates. There are twenty-five graduates in Sugarcreek schools, who will pass on to the high school.

MASS DAY EXERCISES AT SPRING VALLEY WILL NOT BE HELD

For the first time, Mass Day exercises will not be held by the eighth grade graduates of Spring Valley Township schools this year, but will be replaced with night commencement exercises.

The township exercises will be held at the Town Hall in Spring Valley, Friday evening, May 7, at 7:45 o'clock and an interesting program has been prepared for the affair.

The Eyer orchestra of this city will furnish the music for the evening, and three playlets will be presented, one each by the different schools. "Just Plain Dot" is the title of the playlet to be presented by the Spring Valley school graduates, while the New Burlington school will present "A Case of Suspension." The Richland school eighth grade graduates will offer the playlet "Our First Flag and Old Glory Today."

Twenty-nine graduates will receive their certificates at this time and will pass on to the High School.

XENIA TO HAVE BAND DURING THIS SUMMER

Xenia is to have a new concert band this summer.

Due to the activities of Matt Kump veteran Xenia band man, an organization of experienced players, many of them formerly affiliated with local bands, has been formed.

The new band, which rehearsed Monday night at the Chamber of Commerce, will probably be called the Chamber of Commerce Band, as that organization will probably take action supporting it, since it is advocating band concerts for the summer months.

Mr. Kump is manager of the new band, and he has selected only veteran players. Many of them were formerly affiliated with the old S. of V. band and other musical organizations here in the past, while some of them have had experience in military bands. The organization of the band is a popular move as there has not been a local band here for several years. The personnel of the new organization is as follows: Walter Currie, director; Matt Kump, manager; Forest Hurley, secretary and treasurer; Walter Currie, clarinet; Frank Shephard, clarinet; Fred Irwin, clarinet; Harold Little, clarinet; Walter Savers, clarinet; Major William Campbell, cornet; Hugh Grindle, cornet; Elmer Olesbee, cornet; Lester Shephard, cornet; Wallace Irwin, trombone; Raymond Shephard, trombone; Albert Thornhill, trombone; Forest Hurley, alto; Chas. Gorham, alto; Ernest Simons, alto; Cliff Hale, alto; Vivian Irwin, baritone; Frank Hurley, baritone; Ray Hitchcock, bass; Ed. Hethers drum; Matt Kump, drum.

ESCAPED PRISONER CAUGHT AFTER MONTHS

Ed. Clary, prisoner at the Xenia Work House, who escaped from the institution last fall, was returned here Tuesday night by Superintendent J. J. Horn.

The prisoner was sent up from Springfield for one year on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. With only part of his sentence served out, he ran away from the works last fall and was recently located in Urbana. Superintendent Horn went after the prisoner Tuesday night.

NAVY TO RECRUIT MEN IN XENIA

C. J. Spering, Chief Electrician in the U. S. Navy, now on recruiting duty in Springfield, was in this city Wednesday morning and will return here next Wednesday to enlist recruits for that branch.

Enlistment in the government service is more attractive now with a bill up providing for a fifty per cent increase in the salary of the enlisted man, with every indication that it will pass. Previous service men can now re-enlist after being out one year and still receive four months back pay.

Society Notes

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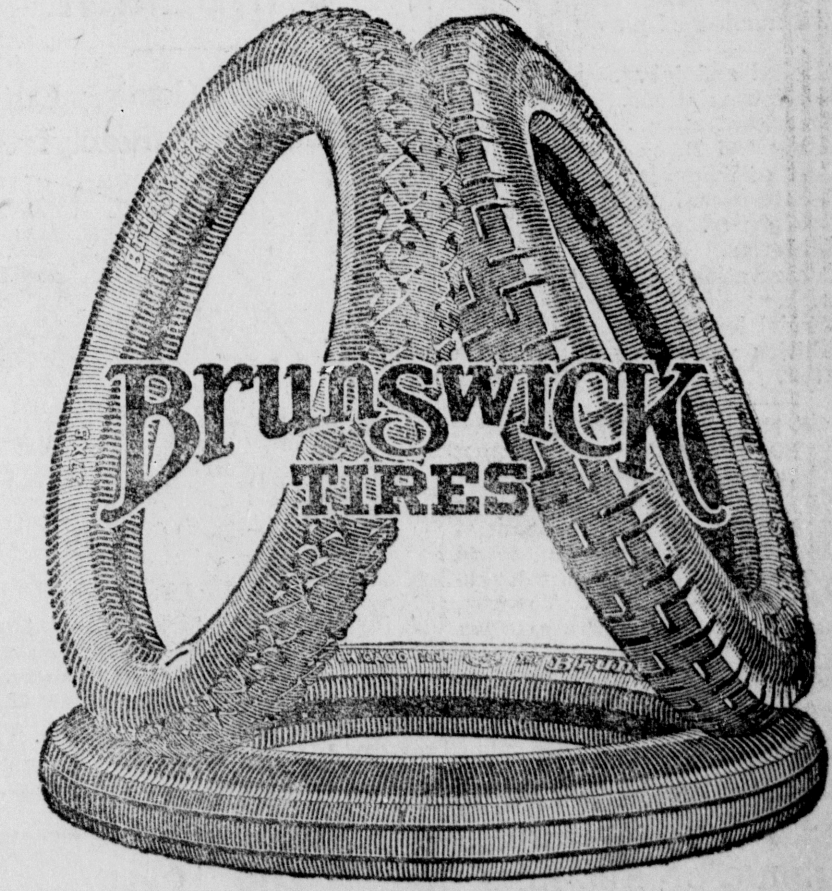
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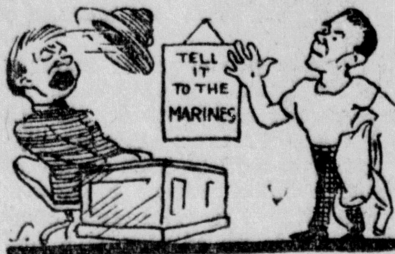
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SPRING FEVER

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(By DR. VALENTINE MOTT.)

At this time of year most people suffer from what we term "spring fever" because of a stagnant condition of the blood, because of the toxins (poisons) stored up within the body during the long winter. We eat too much meat, with little or no green vegetables.

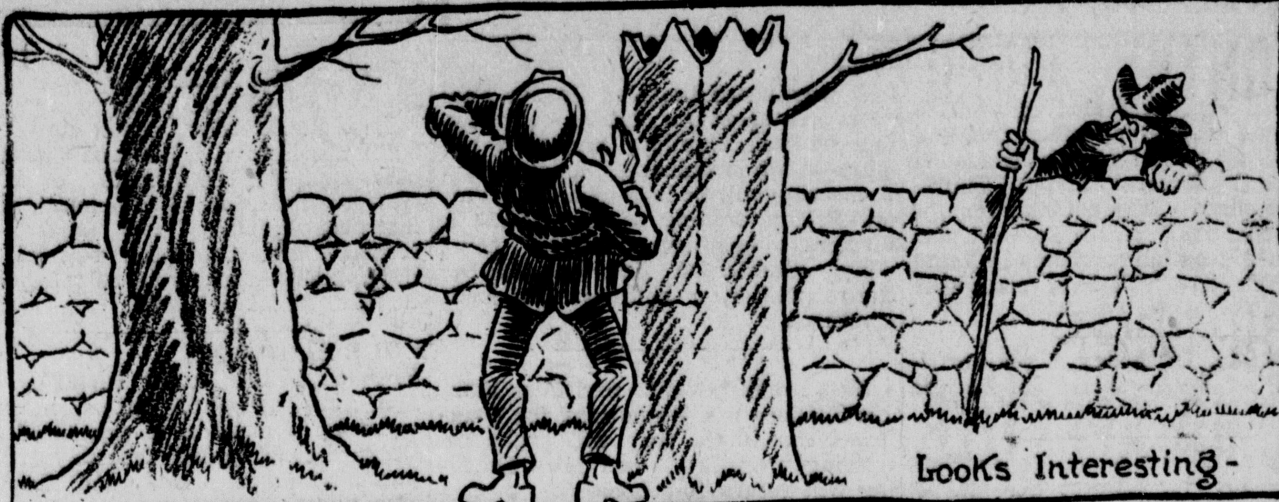
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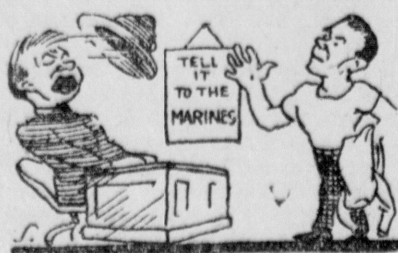
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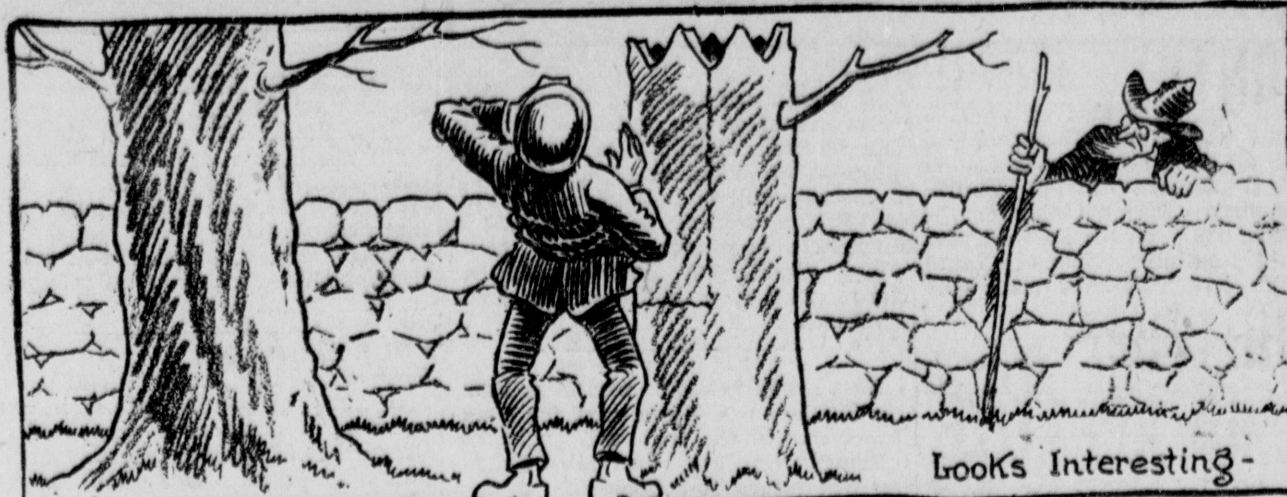
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The blood is life itself, and when your blood gets out of order, nothing seems right! You are blue, discouraged and out-of-sorts. Food loses its taste, and sleep does not seem to refresh you. You don't want to work, and cannot have a good time.

Then you say to yourself, "What's the matter with me, anyway?" Maybe you think of your blood, and maybe you don't.

Spring is here. And Spring, more than any other season, is the time people suffer most from blood disorders. Sometimes it is just "Spring Fever"—but conscientious, hard-working folks really suffer from Spring Fever.

They drive themselves, and worry and fret—but get little done. Neither body nor mind will function properly till the blood has purged itself of the winter accumulation of poisons—till it ceases to be sluggish—till it has regained its color and strength.

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Boraff came into court Tuesday afternoon, withdrew his former plea of not guilty to the charge of non-support, and entered a plea of guilty. Judge Marshall imposed a fine of \$50 and the cost of prosecution, amounting to \$440.25, and sentenced him to nine months in the work house.

He was given sixty days in which to pay the \$50 fine, and the work house sentence was suspended on condition that he pay forthwith, the costs of procedure, and give bond satisfactory to the court for the payment of \$10 a week for the support of his five year old son.

The prisoner was returned to jail. Later in the afternoon certificates of deposit on two Mercer county banks, made out to M. Boraff, father of the prisoner, were accepted by the court in payment of the \$440.25 costs.

Wednesday morning counsel for Boraff had not succeeded in obtaining bondsmen to secure the payment of the sum fixed for the support of the child.

Costs in the case were rendered so large owing to the trip which was made to Reno, Nevada, by Deputy Sheriff George A. Birch to take Boraff into custody.

It is understood that settlement will be made of other local claims against Boraff.

Mrs. Boraff with her two brothers, the Messrs. Heath, of Mercer county, and a sister-in-law, were present in court at Boraff's hearing.

BASKET FACTORY IS ADDED TO NUMBER OF XENIA'S INDUSTRIES

A basket factory, manufacturing a heavy feed basket for farm use, is the latest adjunct to Xenia's industrial activities.

The factory is being operated by L. Freeman, proprietor of the Famous Cheap Store.

Eight men are employed by Mr. Freeman in the manufacture of the baskets, and this number will be increased as rapidly as skilled basket weavers can be secured. At present the factory is producing between 75 and 100 dozen baskets a month, and the output is rapidly growing.

With increased facilities and more employees the concern promises to grow into a substantial place among Xenia's manufacturing concerns.

JAMESTOWN

W. F. Harper, Jamestown druggist, has been elected as delegate to the Democratic State Convention.

The Jamestown Boy Scouts are making money and otherwise preparing to go camping in the near future after the close of school.

Dr. W. O. Bowers, has been called to the Miami hospital at Dayton to be with his father, J. W. Bowers, of Brookville, who has undergone a very serious operation.

S. S. Simpson, assistant principal of the Jamestown high school, will take rooms with J. Q. A. Baker. The property which Mr. Simpson has been occupying has been sold.

Mrs. Frank Taft, of Dayton, has been the guest of Mrs. Jennie Buckles. Mr. Taft and son Robert drove over to spend Sunday.

Miss Edith St. John, a high school teacher, was taken very sick in the school room a few days ago. An automobile conveyed her to the home of Al Zeiner, where medical aid was secured. The trouble seemed to come from her teeth. A dentist looked after the trouble.

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will have a missionary tea in the parlors of the church on Wednesday afternoon.

J. Frank Gordon conducted the funeral services for Miss Tabitha Tarr, at Grape Grove, on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jesse Taylor has had for her guest, Mrs. Frank Long, of Columbus.

Harry Sadders, who has had charge of the John Jenks dairy, has resigned the position, to take up baseball playing to make it a profession.

In observing "Mother's Day" at the M. E. church on Sunday, the 9th, the Jamestown Boys' Scouts will attend the service in uniform, and have the place of honor.

Mrs. Charles Glass, who has been very ill for the past few weeks, is gradually improving and hopes to soon be out again.

MOTORAIDS

The man who takes the best care of his car is the one who gets the most satisfactory service out of it from day to day. It is well to heed the following few simple rules which will add to the pleasure of your driving and will relieve the car of unnecessary wear.

Never do things in a hurry. When one stops to consider that the shocks of sudden starting and stopping the car, and careless, hasty gear changing, must be at once assimilated by a very highly organized piece of machinery, the every day common sense of this suggestion is very easy to grasp.

Most drivers use the brakes far

too often and too violently. If a driver insists to use the foot throttle exclusively he will soon find that his engine makes the most kind of a brake. When the foot is removed from the throttle, if the throttle on the wheel is kept at a low position, the engine will immediately slow down. Naturally if the clutch is left in, the momentum of the car will be checked gradually and without wear on any parts.

SEARCHING PARTY ON HUNT FOR BOY REPORTED MISSING

Searching parties scoured the countryside in the vicinity of Goes Station and Yellow Springs Wednesday morning hunting for Raymond Crago, 19 year old son of Albert Crago of Jamestown, who disappeared Monday night from the Joseph Sutton farm near Goes Station where he was employed by Roy Fields, the tenant.

The young man disappeared as utterly as though the earth had swallowed him. No one has yet been found who saw him after he walked away from the Sutton farm at 7 o'clock Monday night, going in the direction of Springfield. Police in Springfield and Yellow Springs and Jamestown have

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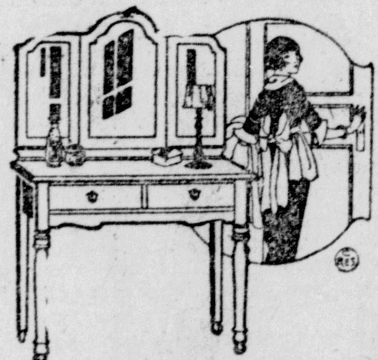


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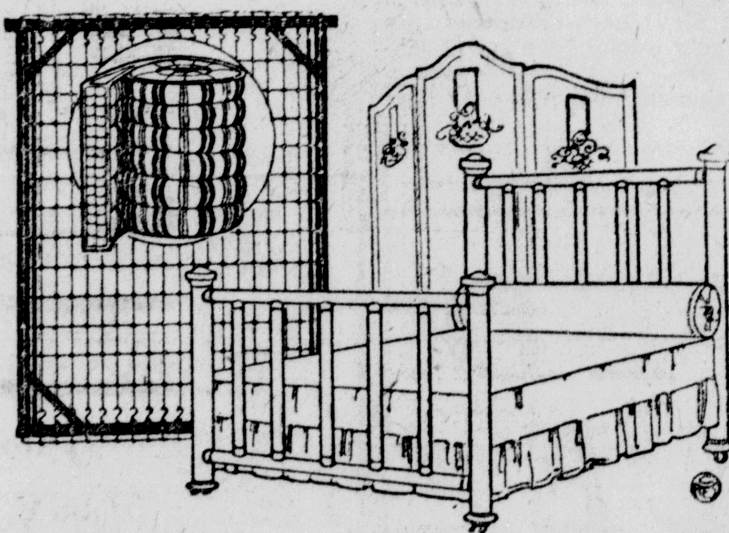
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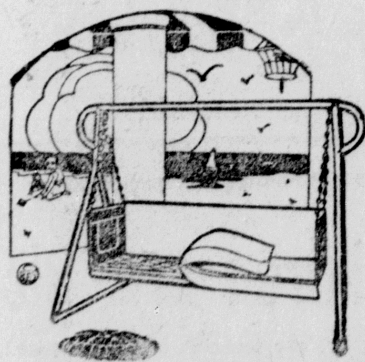


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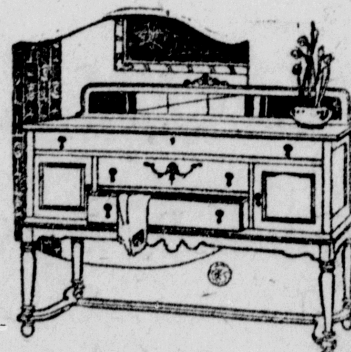


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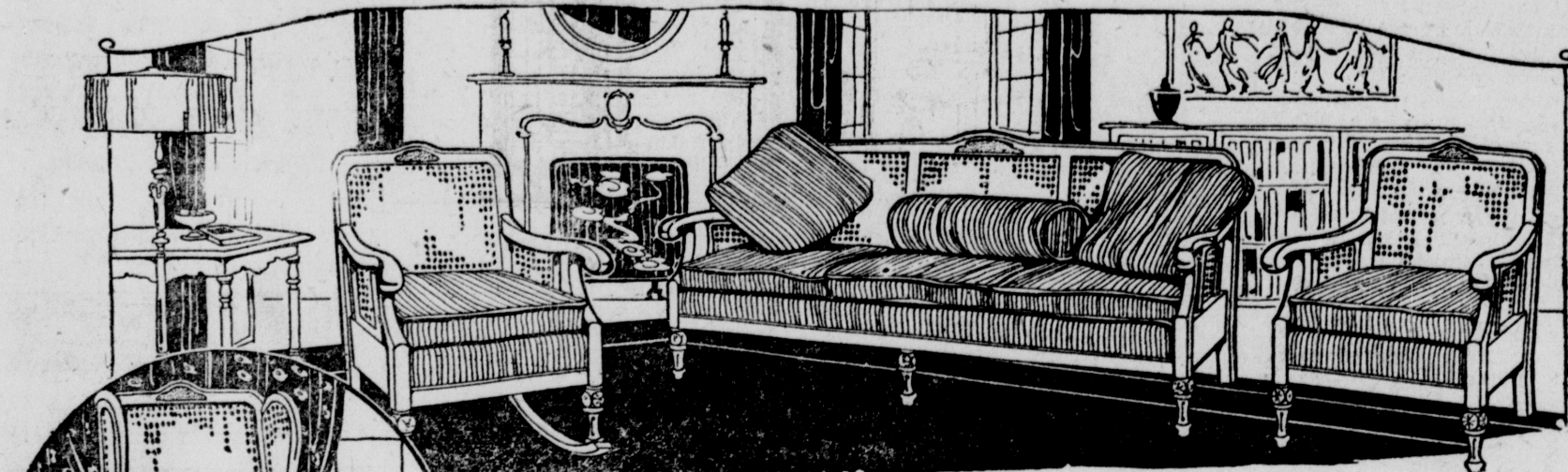
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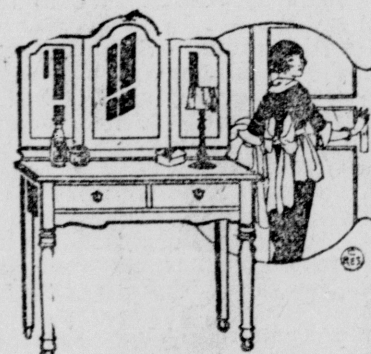
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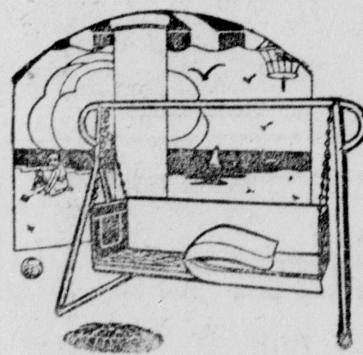
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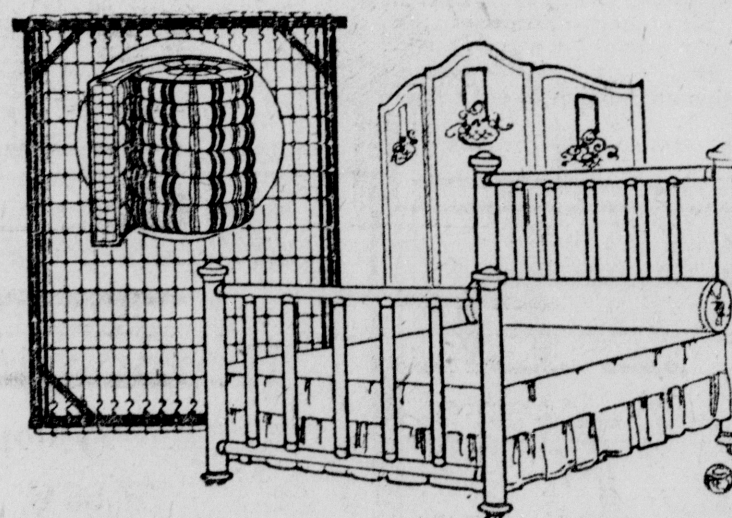


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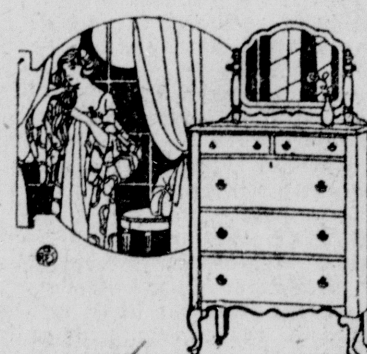
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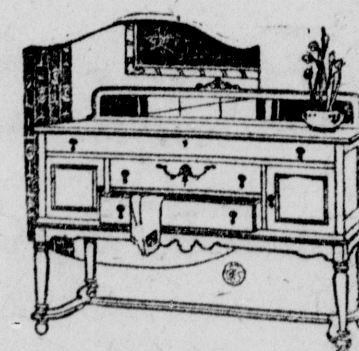


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